

Protection Act. Corresponding tables are attached.

Under section 323 of S. Con. Res. 70, this adjustment to the budget allocations and aggregates applies while the measure is under consideration. The adjustments will take effect upon enactment of the measure. For purposes of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended, a revised allocation made under section 323 of S. Con. Res. 70 is to be considered as an allocation included in the resolution.

BUDGET AGGREGATES

[On-budget amounts, in millions of dollars]

	Fiscal Year 2008 ¹	Fiscal Year 2009 ^{1 2}	Fiscal Years 2009–2013
Current Aggregates:			
Budget Authority	2,456,198	2,462,544	n.a.
Outlays	2,437,784	2,497,322	n.a.
Revenues	1,875,401	2,029,653	11,780,263
Change in the Comprehensive American Energy Security and Consumer Protection Act (H.R. 6899):			
Budget Authority	0	–4,528	n.a.
Outlays	0	–4,528	n.a.
Revenues	0	–2,348	818
Revised Aggregates:			
Budget Authority	2,456,198	2,458,016	n.a.

	Fiscal Year 2008 ¹	Fiscal Year 2009 ^{1 2}	Fiscal Years 2009–2013
Outlays	2,437,784	2,492,794	n.a.
Revenues	1,875,401	2,027,305	11,781,081

n.a. = Not applicable because annual appropriations Acts for fiscal years 2010 through 2013 will not be considered until future sessions of Congress.

¹Current aggregates do not include spending covered by section 301 (b)(1) (overseas deployments and related activities). The section has not been triggered to date in Appropriations action.

²Current aggregates do not include Corps of Engineers emergency spending assumed in the budget resolution, which will not be included in current level due to its emergency designation (section 301(b)(2)).

DIRECT SPENDING LEGISLATION—AUTHORIZING COMMITTEE 302(a) ALLOCATIONS FOR RESOLUTION CHANGES

[Fiscal Years, in millions of dollars]

	2008		2009		2009–2013 Total	
	BA	Outlays	BA	Outlays	BA	Outlays
House Committee:						
Current allocation:						
Energy and Commerce	89	81	839	802	3,162	3,157
Resources	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation and Infrastructure	395	0	1,496	0	4,176	0
Ways and Means	1,853	1,843	5,794	5,714	–6,724	–5,034
Change in the Comprehensive American Energy Security and Consumer Protection Act (H.R. 6899):						
Energy and Commerce	0	0	–4,700	–4,700	–100	–100
Resources	0	0	–142	–142	–3,332	–3,332
Transportation and Infrastructure	0	0	115	115	575	575
Ways and Means	0	0	199	199	199	199
Total	0	0	–4,528	–4,528	–2,658	–2,658
Revised allocation:						
Energy and Commerce	89	81	–3,861	–3,898	3,062	3,057
Resources	0	0	–142	–142	–3,332	–3,332
Transportation and Infrastructure	395	0	1,611	115	4,751	575
Ways and Means	1,853	1,843	5,993	5,913	–6,525	–4,835

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. DREIER (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of the death of his mother.

Mr. POE (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today until 3:30 p.m. on account of recovery efforts following Hurricane Ike.

SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The Speaker announced her signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 2403. An act to designate the United States courthouse located in the 700 block of East Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia, as the “Spottswood W. Robinson III and Robert R. Merhige, Jr., United States Courthouse”.

S. 2617. An act to amend title 38, United States Code, to codify increases in the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans that were effective as of December 1, 2007, to provide for an increase in the rates of such compensation effective December 1, 2008, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. CHILDERS. Mr. Chairman, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 12 o'clock and 30 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until today, Wednesday, September 17, 2008, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

8398. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Karnal Bunt; Removal of Regulated Areas in Texas [Docket No. APHIS-2007-0157] received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

8399. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — National Fluid Milk Processor Promotion Program [Docket No. AMS-DA-07-0156; DA-07-05] received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

8400. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's quarterly report as of June 30, 2008, entitled, “Acceptance of contributions for defense programs, projects and activities; Defense Cooperation Account,” pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2608; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8401. A letter from the Principal Deputy, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of 18 officers to wear the authorized insignia of the grade of brigadier general, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8402. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a report entitled, “Report to Congress: Plan for Coordinating National Guard and Federal Military Force Disaster Response,” pursuant to Public Law 110-181, section 1814; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8403. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-B-7797] received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

8404. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's 2007 Annual Report of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 78ggg; to the Committee on Financial Services.

8405. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's report entitled, “Report on Section 3167 of the Department of Energy Science Education Enhancement Act Related to Education Partnerships with Minority Education Institutions,” pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 7381c-1, section 3167; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

8406. A letter from the Chairperson, National Council on Disability, transmitting the Council's report entitled, “The State of 21st Century Financial Incentives for Americans with Disabilities”; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

8407. A letter from the Deputy Director for Operations, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits — received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

8408. A letter from the Deputy Director, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on the Developmental Disabilities Programs for Fiscal Years 2005–2006, pursuant to Public Law 99-319, section 105(a)(7); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

8409. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration, transmitting the Administration's report entitled, “Annual Energy Outlook 2008,” pursuant to Public Law 110-140; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

8410. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration, transmitting the Administration's report entitled, “Annual Energy Review 2007”; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

8411. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8412. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8413. A letter from the Chair, Commission on International Religious Freedom, transmitting the Commission's 2008 Annual Report covering the period May 2007 through April 2008; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8414. A letter from the Assistant Secretary For Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Clarification of the Classification of Crew Protection Kits on the Commerce Control List, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8415. A letter from the Assistant Secretary For Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Addition of Kosovo in the Export Administration Regulations [Docket No. 080717846-8879-01] (RIN: 0694-AE34) received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8416. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a proposed removal from the United States Munitions list of vessels for the containment and transportation of explosive devices that have primary applications in law enforcement and security, pursuant to Section 38(f) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8417. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a proposed technical assistance agreement for the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more, pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8418. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles that are firearms controlled under Category 1 of the United States Munition List (Transmittal No. DTC 063-08), pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8419. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's annual report on the extent and disposition of United States contributions to international organizations for fiscal year 2007, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 287b(b), section 405(b); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8420. A letter from the Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's eighth report covering current military, diplomatic, political and economic measures that are being or have been undertaken to complete our mission in Iraq successfully, pursuant to Public Law 109-163, section 1227; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8421. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting consistent with the Authorization for Use of Military Force Against Iraq Resolution of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-243), the Authorization for the Use of Force Against Iraq Resolution (Pub. L. 102-1), and in order to keep the Congress fully informed,

reports prepared by the Department of State on a weekly basis for the June 15-August 15, 2008 period including matters relating to post-liberation Iraq under Section 7 of the Iraq Liberation Act of 1998 (Pub. L. 105-338); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8422. A letter from the Secretary General, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, Parliamentary Assembly, transmitting the Astana Declaration and Resolutions adopted on July 3, 2008 at the Seventeenth Annual Session of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe Parliamentary Assembly, pursuant to Public Law 102-138, section 169(e) (105 Stat. 679); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

8423. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final set of amendments to the Department's Fiscal Year 2008 Annual Performance Plan; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8424. A letter from the Deputy White House Liaison, Department of Justice, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8425. A letter from the Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting the Office's report entitled, "Fiscal Year 2007 Performance Summary Report," pursuant to P.L. 105-277 (Div. C-Title VII), section 705(d); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8426. A letter from the Special Counsel, Office of Special Counsel, transmitting the Office's FY 2007 Annual Report, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 1218; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8427. A letter from the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Economic Development, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's proposed plan with respect to the award entered in the compromise and settlement of claims under *Pueblo of San Ildefonso v. United States*, No. 660-87L, United States Court of Federal Claims, pursuant to Public Law 109-286, section 14; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

8428. A letter from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (HMS); Atlantic Shark Management Measures [Docket No. 0612242866-8888-03] (RIN: 0648-AU89) received September 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

8429. A letter from the Citizenship & Immigration Services Ombudsman, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Annual Report of the Citizenship and Immigration Services for Fiscal Year 2008, pursuant to Section 452(c)(1) of the Homeland Security Act; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8430. A letter from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a legislative proposal, entitled "The Foreign Agents Registration Technical Amendments Act of 2008"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8431. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator Deputy Chief of Operations Office of Diversion Control, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Elimination of Exemptions for Chemical Mixtures Containing the List I Chemicals Ephedrine and/or Pseudoephedrine [Docket No. DEA-284F] (RIN: 1117-AB11) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8432. A letter from the Director, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Indian Country Drug

Threat Assessment 2008"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8433. A letter from the President, National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, transmitting the Council's "Audit of Federal Awards A-133 for the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements" from July 14, 2008; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8434. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting notification that the Supreme Court will open the October 2008 Term on Monday October 6, 2008 and will continue until all matters before the Court ready for argument have been disposed of or decided; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8435. A letter from the Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court, transmitting the 2007 Annual Report for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8436. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's fourth report on the breakdown of the disability-related complaints that U.S. and foreign passenger air carriers operating to and from the U.S. received during 2007, pursuant to Section 707 of the Wendell H. Ford Aviation Investment and Reform Act for the 21st Century; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8437. A letter from the National Ombudsman and Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Enforcement Fairness, Small Business Administration, transmitting the National Ombudsman's Annual Report to Congress; to the Committee on Small Business.

8438. A letter from the Chairman, International Trade Commission, transmitting a report entitled, "The Year in Trade 2007," pursuant to Section 163(c) of the Trade Act of 1974; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8439. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's pilot project status report for fiscal year 2007 to implement the Quincy Library Group's forest management proposal on designated lands in the Plumas, Lassen, and Tahoe National Forests, pursuant to Public Law 105-277; jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Agriculture.

8440. A letter from the Assistant Regional Solicitor, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's "Answer to Motion to Clarify Record of Modesto and Turlock Irrigation Districts"; jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Energy and Commerce.

8441. A letter from the Associate Deputy Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's annual report to Congress on the CALFED Bay-Delta Program entitled, "2007 Calfed Annual Report," pursuant to Public Law 108-361, section 105(a)(1); jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Transportation and Infrastructure.

8442. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's "2008 Annual Plan for the Ultra-Deepwater and Unconventional Natural Gas and Other Petroleum Resources Research and Development Program," pursuant to Public Law 109-58, section 999B(e)(3); jointly to the Committees on Science and Technology and Natural Resources.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows: